Idaho Department of Correction Robert Janss School Fiscal Year 2013 Year in Review

Total Enrollment July 1, 2012- June 30, 2013

5,618 - Students

2,352 - Enrolled in one or more classes

Enrollment Profile

82% - Men

18% - Women

Distribution by age

6% - 21 years and younger

33% - 22-29 years

39% - 30-44 years

19% - 45-49 years

2% - 60 and older

<u>Distribution of students by</u> <u>program</u>

42% - ABE (below the 12th grade)

26% - PreRelease

31% - Professional-Technical Education

Completions

660 - Adult Literacy Certificate (6th grade level attainment)

493 - GED and High School Diploma

J.A. and Kathryn Albertson Foundation - The Robert Janss School was awarded \$50,000 by the foundation, as part of a statewide project to implement Khan Academy in public schools. The foundation for Learning Equality worked closely with IDOC Education staff to implement an off line version, KA Lite, in the state's correctional facilities. While the grant is specifically focused on studying the results of the KA Lite and its impact on math instruction, the students have access to all of the Khan Academy videos on economics, finance, science, and the humanities, this has expanded the range of instructional topics offered in the Education program.

Idaho Botanical Gardens Lunaria Grant – The Robert Janss School was awarded \$1,430 by the Idaho Botanical Gardens to develop and establish a dedicated Arboretum and Conservation Research Program. The program will provide opportunity for offenders to collaborate with foresters and other professionals while engaging in work based education and research practices.

Implementation of Education Integrated Pathway and Common Core State Standards - The Education staff completed program restructuring to align with Common Core State Standards and the IDOC's treatment and reentry pathway delivery system. Curriculum materials, resources and delivery methods for Technology/Media Literacy, Financial Literacy and Education/Career Planning are in place.

Close Out of the GED 2002 test - The Robert Janss School reported record numbers of GED completions during the final 6 months of 2013, a total of 359. The number of completions is 176 more than were reported December 2012.

Implementation of computerized instruction and

testing - State wide trainings have been delivered throughout FY13 in preparation of computerized GED testing and instruction. Standardizing offender computer labs, purchasing software materials and updating lab technology was an accomplishment for the Education program this year.